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THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART  
ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

Please complete and return the following questionnaire for our reference file on Cleveland Artists.

FULL NAME: Joan Chopko , 3616 W. River Rd.SW , Newton Falls, OH 44444

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: Warren, OH , March 10, 1955

PRIMARY MEDIA oil painting

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

Mount Union College (1973-1974) Major: Art (painting)

Youngstown State University ( 1974-1977) Major: Art (painting)

Degree: B.F.A.in painting

Kent State University ( 1978-1979) Major: Art (painting)(graduate level)

EXHIBITIONS:

37,38,39,40,41st Area Artist's Annual, Butler Institute of Art,Youngstown, OH  
Lawrence County Open Exhibition, Hoyt Institute of Fine Arts, New Castle, PA(78)  
Cleveland May Show, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH , 1976

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

"All Ohio Show", Canton Institute of Art, Canton, OH, 1977  
Ohio Fine Arts Exhibition, Massillon Museum, Massillon, OH, 1979  
Three Rivers Arts Festival, Gateway Center, Pittsburgh, PA , 1979  
41st Annual National Midyear Show, Butler Institute of Art, Youngstown, OH,1977  
10th,& 11th Washington & Jefferson National Painting Show, Washington & Jefferson  
College, Washington, PA , 1978-79  
The Marietta National Exhibition, Marietta College, Marrietta, OH, 1978  
The American Artist First National Art Competition,The American Artist Magazine,  
38th Audubon Artists Annual,National Arts Club,N.Y., NY , 1980 (1978)

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

The Hoyt Institute of Fine Arts, New Castle, PA  
Trumbull Art Guild, Warren, OH  
Newton Falls Public Library, Newton Falls, OH  
Massillon Museum, Massillon, OH

AWARDS:

Honorable Mention,39th Area Artist's Annual, Butler Institute of Art, Youngstown,  
OH , 1977

AWARDS:

Judge's Award (first place), Lawrence County Open Exhibition, Hoyt Institute of  
Fine Arts, New Castle, PA , 1978  
Semi-Finalist, The American Artist First National Art Competition, The American  
Artist Magazine, 1978  
Purchase Award, Ohio Fine Arts Exhibition, Massillon Museum, Massillon, OH ,1979  
The Alice G. Melrose Memorial Award, 38th Audubon Artists Annual, National  
Arts Club, N.Y., NY 1980

PRESENT POSITION:

Public Relations, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH  
Artist: oil painter

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We would appreciate any information regarding subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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**FULL NAME:** Joan E. Chopko

**DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH:** March 10, 1955 , Warren, Ohio

**PRIMARY MEDIA** Oil on canvas

**ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:**

Mount Union College (1973-1974) Major in Art, Grant for one year.  
Youngstown State University (1974-1977) Major in Art (painting) and  
Minor in Art Education.

**EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:**

37th Area Artists Annual (1975) and 38th Area Artists Annual (1976) (Oil),  
Butler Institute of Art, Yo, Oh.; First Unitarian Church (1975) (Oil) Yo., Oh.;  
Youngstown State University's 39th and 40th Annual Student Art Show (1975 &  
1976) (oils and drawings), Butler Institute of Art; YSU Arts Festival at  
Union National Bank (1975 & 1976) (oil and drawings); Trumbull County Fair  
1976 (oils); Mahoning County Fair 1976 (oils & Drawings); "Art Expressions in  
76", Sharon Bicentennial Art Show at Penn State University, Shenango Valley  
Campus, Sharon, Pa. (oils); Summer Arts Festival, Sharon, Pa. (1976)(oil &  
drawing); Trumbull Art Guild's Annual Art Show 1976, Warren, Ohio (oil & draw-  
ings).

**COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:**

Oil painting purchased and in collection of The Trumbull Art Guild, Warren, Oh

**AWARDS:**

Sharon Bicentennial Art Show 1976, Sharon, Pa. at Penn State University's  
Shenango Valley Campus, First place in Oil; Trumbull County Fair 1976, second  
and third place (oil); Mahoning County Fair 1976 second place (oil);  
Trumbull Art Guild, Warren, Oh., purchase award and second place (oil), third  
place (charcoal drawing).

**PRESENT POSITION:**

Art student at Youngstown State University, Senior Year (I am unemployed at the  
present and will graduate in June 1977 with B.F.A. Degree  
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